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Salem Civil Air Patrol Cadets Raise Money at Sublimity Event

Cadets from the Salem Composite Squadron of the Civil Air Patrol earned \$500 for local scholarships and other activities by assisting with parking cars this Saturday at the Destruction Derby in Sublimity. By 6:30 on Sunday morning the Cadets were again assembled to clean up the parking lots and arena area of litter and metal car parts. Within two hours, the Cadets had done their part to make the area ready for the next event. 20 Cadets participated in the event. Lieutenant Mark Banick, Deputy Commander of Cadets, said that the money will be applied towards Squadron special activities such as encampment scholarships and equipment purchases. Additionally, the work that the Cadets did over the weekend was a meaningful way for them to contribute to the local community.

Civil Air Patrol, the official U.S. Air Force Auxiliary, is a civilian, volunteer, nonprofit, service organization. The unpaid members perform more than 85 percent of inland search and rescue missions as tasked by the Air Force Rescue and Coordination Center. Volunteers also take a leading role in aerospace education and conduct one of America's finest youth programs through CAP Cadet Programs

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